

# DOE UPDATE

1. New program manager for climate modeling (1.0/4.5)
  - XX will advertise for new hire
2. Second year of 5-year renewal of UCAR Cooperative Agreement
  - Warren Washington, PI
  - Will augment funding for additional position
3. Continuing support of long-term CSU project: "A Geodesic Climate Model with Quasi-Lagrangian Vertical Structure"
4. Mid-point review of 5-year SciDAC climate modeling project (LANL, ORNL, LLNL, ANL, PNNL) X excellent progress
  - Coupler, Land-surface coding, vectorization, etc.
  - Biogeochemistry & atmospheric chemistry refocus?
  - How can we help CCSM more?
5. University call written this month X CCSM-centric, renewal focus
6. Attempt to improve ARMBGCM coordination (how?)
7. Computing resources X LANL SGI Altix planned
  - Other (John Drake)